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Observations... From Around Town

(BY JAY WHOZIT)

Whether we stayed at home and took part in local Carnival festivities, or journeyed to New Orleans to view the sights there, we awoke on Wednesday to the realization that we faced the season of "sack cloth and ashes", namely the forty days of Lent, during which we should have ample time to atone for our misdeeds . . . we are honored this week to have in our Midst General George C. Marshall, former Secretary of State and Mrs. Marshall, who were guests of Mr. Leonard K. Nicholson, at this summer home here . .

Friday night, at which Mr. E. M. ture of its beauty beggars all description . . . a complete account of the Ball appears elsewhere in this issue borino.

. . . the Carnival celebration and parade sponsored by the Bay High P. T. A. was successful beyond the expectation of the sponsors and the public as well, and gives every indication of reviving the ofd-time her king awaited her. Also on the Carnival spirit for which our town was noted in years past . . . the Red Cross Drive officially opened on March first and it is hoped that white satin and velvet, fashioned our county's quota of \$4,054.00 will be met in record time. . . according ing skirt, the front of which was to John Bell, chairman of the temporary Bay-Waveland Yacht Club committee, the total amount of the \$35,000.00 goal is expected to be met this week. We certainly hope so because this is a big thing for Bay St. Louis and Hancock County tle was of neavy blue velvet, trimand will bring untold benefits to our shores ... the new registration of voters, as ordered by the Hancock lar. She wore a jeweled crown and County Board of Supervisors, will begin on April first and continue thrugh May until all persons of voting age in Hancock County's twentythree precincts will have been registered . . Mayor Carver has colled a meeting for next week to organize a volunteer fire department, and asks silver sequins. On their heads were Secretary of State George C. Mar-DEDEAUX—At School House, April that anyone interested may attend. Rat poison was being distributed in quins. Bay St. Louis by Wayne Alliston of the Hancock County Health Department, in business houses and residences as well ... This is for your protection, so please cooperate with

officials doing the work . . . the state high school boxing tuornament will be held at Bay High School Gym on March 10, 11 and 12, and six schools with about seventy entrants will participate... we want to say. Mayor Carver, that your enforcement of the automobile parking and traffic laws seems to be getting the desired results, judging from the way cars are now being parked within the parking lines, and we urgel L. A. Rogers, Mrs. R. L. Camors you to continue your drive until all Mrs. J. S. Blanchard, Mrs. D. M. drivers have been thoroughly schooled in the art of driving and parking. R. deMontluzin, Miss M. diBenedetto, now that spring is just around the Mrs. James Seghers, Mrs. A. L. corner we recommend that folks start | Mauffray, Mrs. S. T. Assenheimer, their annual cleanup campaign.

SPEAKS BEFORE WSCS AT PICAYUNE

Mrs. C. C. McDonald addressed the Womans Society of Christian Service of the Picayune Methodist church at Picayune on Monday.

Mrs. McDonald talked on the work of the society in the church and its expanded program and increase of finances for the coming year.

Mrs. W. A. McDonald, Mrs. C. M. Shipp, Mrs. Maud Smith accompanied Mrs. McDonald to Picayune.

An Appeal For Azalea **Plants**

With no funds on hand for the purchase of more plants Mayor Warren Carver has announced that azalea plants to be placed around the large oak trees on the City Hall grounds would have to come through the generosity of those who are interested in the beautification of the park. All who might like to donate one or the mayor.

Red Cross Benefit

ternoons with a small admission morning featured the entertainment. charge, for the benefit of the Hancock County Red Cross Drive.

are well known to the public and at day, twice as much as they were acthis season of the year it affords more customed to as civilians. beauty, so avail yourself of this opportunity to see Holly-Bluff-On-The- In their first month of operation in Jordan. And in this way help the the Berlin Airlift, the two Navy by to help others.

Sixteenth Annnal Carnival Ball Held Last Friday Evening

E. M. Brignac, King; Mrs. W. A. Prewitt, Queen; Bal Called Most Elaborate Ever Held

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-GENERAL MARSHALL

GUEST HERE AT

NICHOLSON HOME

been guests here of Leonard K. Nich-

pledges this week.

ing summer.

The sixteenth annual Carnival Ball, sponsored by the Mothers' Club of St. Joseph's Academy, was held on Friday evening, February 25th., with E.M. Brignac and Mrs. W. Af Prewitt, Jr., reigning as king and queen for the festive occasion.

The ball, given at St. Joseph Academy auditorium, and hailed by many as the most elaborate yet given also seen in town during the week had as its theme, "In the Days of was "Johnnie" of Phillip Morris radio King Arthur" and opened with a fame . . . the Carnival Ball on last tableau depicting the finding of the Holy Grail by Sir Galahad. The curtain rose on a stage arranged as a Brignac and Mrs. W. A. Prewitt, Jr., room setting with an alcove in which committee, headed by John Bell, reigned supreme, was truly an elab- the chalice was found by Sir Gala- for the reestablishment of the Bayorate affair and to give a word pic- had. The Royal throne was enclosed Waveland Yacht Club is \$35,000.00, STATE OF MISSISSIPPI within the alcove. On either side of the stage was a jester, Frances Mc-Alpine, and a bard, Honorine Dam-

of the hall and joining their dukes, formed a semicircle at the foot of

The queen was escorted to the stage by Dr. James A. Evans, where stage were Dr. Emmett Lee Irwin, and Mrs. Horace L. Kergosien, last year's king and queen.

The queen wore a dress of heavy with a tight fitted bodice and billowtrimmed with flowers made of colored sequins, from the neckline to the hem. On either side were designs of sequins in the form of shields in slips. keeping with the theme of the ball. She carried white orchids and stephanotis on a silver shield. Her manmed with a design of sequins and completed by the middle of the comfinished with a high rhinestone colcarried a jeweled sceptre which was

presented to her by her king. Her trainbearers, Suzie Prewitt and Margie Prewitt, wore floor length dresses of white satin, made with tight fitted bodice, puffed sleeves and bouffant skirt, trimmed with at having as a visitor here Former peaked hats of satin and silver se-shall and Mrs. Marshall who have

The pages, John and Raymond olson, president of the Times-Pica-Prewitt, wore white satin suits with yune Publishing Company, at his LAKESHORE—At Buddy's Green a shield of silver sequins on the shirt summer home. and plumed caps.

The maids wore evening dresses ing much of his time fishing and is of pastel shades, with head dresses enjoying a complete rest. He came in keeping with the days of King for quiet and rest, Mr. Nicholson Arthur. Their flowers were carried said. on silver and gold colored shields.

lowing maids and dukes, in order of Military Institute. MAIDS

Mrs. P. E. Porter, Jr., Mrs. O. L. Radford, Mrs. Shelby Tucker, Mrs. J. L. Griffin, Mrs. J. R. Shadoin, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. R. L. Hamilton, Mrs. Mrs. D. L. Tonkel, Mrs. John Joyce, Mrs. O. W. Delph, Mrs. E. F. Fahey, Jr., Mrs. E. E. Wiegand.

Mr. L. A. Rogers, Mr. D. L. Tonkel, Mr. O. L. Radford, Mr. D. M. Russell, Mr. Rene de Montluzin, Jr., Mr. R. L. Hamilton, Dr. J. L. Griffin, Mr. James Seghers, Mr. Shelby Tucker, Mr. P. E. Porter, Jr., Mr. J. R. Shadoin, Mr. J. S. Blanchard, Mr. O. W. Delph, Mr. W. A. Prewitt, Jr., Mr. John Joyce, Dr. B. L. Ramsey, Mr. T. T. Robin, Mr. E. E. Wiegand, Mr. R. L. Camors, Mr. Horace Kergo-

The decorating committee, composed of members of the S. J. A. Mothers' Club, was headed by Miss Kathleen Renshaw and Mrs. W. Ducomb. as co-chairladies. Head dresses were by Mrs. Bess Kelly. E. C. Carrere and Dr. J. A. Evans were cochairmen of the ball. Dr. J. L. Griffin was chairman of the court.

Following the ball the king entertained his court and friends at a midnight supper at Hotel Reed. The king's table was centered with an arrangement of yellow acacia, yellow more plants are asked to kindly call gladioli, yellow roses, lavendar gladwalls and columns masks grinned at the guests. Tall floor baskets filled with the same flowers, with a background of palms, formed a setting The attractive garden, Holly-Bluff- for the receiving line. Here the king. on-the-Jordan, will be opened to the and his queen received their guests. public on Saturday and Sunday af- Dancing until the wee hours of the

During the war, Navy Personnel The beauties of Crump's garden consumed one pound of meat per

Red Cross which is always standing squadrons flew 5,249 hours, carrying 14,101 tons of cargo.

General Registration Order Issued

Hancock County Board of Supervisors, at their January, 1949, meeting, passed an order calling for a county-wide general registration of voters, and ordered the Circuit Clerk to prepare a list of dates and places of registration, to be published in order that all persons of voting age might acquaint themselves with dates and places, so that no one will have an excuse for not registering. According to the order anyone not registering will be ineligible to vote after July First, 1949, as the old registration and poll books will become null and void after that date. Goal of \$35,000 Expected to

This will be the first general registration of voters in Hancock County in more than twenty years, and no one should fail to register.

are open to the public at all times in Jordan" and the Dr. Emmett Irwin the Clerk's office, in the Courthouse. | home. The goal set by the temporary The official registration order as

and up to last Monday night, more COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Pursuant to Chapter 3222 Missisand Mr. Bell states that by the end sippi Code of 1942 the Board of Sup-The maids entered from the rear of this week, he is quite sure the ervisors of Hancock County, have entire amount will have been reach- ordered a new registration of the Voters of Hancock County. Pledges from \$50.00 to \$1000.00

Therefore, I, A. C. Mitchell, Circuit have been made by one hundred and Clerk of Hancock County, will be at forty-five citizens of Bay St. Louis the following places on the desigand Waveland, and about twenty- nated date to comply with said order. five more are expected to make ANSLEY—At Fred Buffa Place— April 1st, 1949

When the financial goal has been PEARLINGTON-At- J. P. Court house, April 5th, 1949. reached, work will continue as rapidly as possible to select plans and LOGTOWN-At Fountain's Grocery, specifications for building of the April 6th, 1949 club house. Bids will be asked for GAINESVILLE—At Jos. Jones Place

building, clearing the lot, dredging April 7th, 1949. the yacht club pen and building the FLAT TOP-At Old School House, April 8th, 1949 According to the temporary com- AARON ACADEMY-AT School

mittee, who met on Thursday night Houss, April 14th, 1949 to rush work on the plans, it seems CAESAR—At Leetown Grocery, possible that the yacht club will be April 15th, 1949 CATAHOULA-At School House,

April 19th, 1949 ROCKY HILL At Necaise's Grocery - April 20th, 19:9 KILN At Curet's Grocery, April

21st, 1949 FENTON At Geo. Cuevas' Store, April 22nd, 1949 Bay St. Louis is signally honored STANDARD-At Curve Ladner's Store, April 25th, 1949

> 26th, 1949 CRANE CREEK-At Sellers School, April 27th, 1949

Grocery, April 28th, 1949 CLERMONT HARBOR—At Garcia's General Marshall has been spend-Grocery, April 29th, 1949 WAVELAND-At Town Hall, May 5th, 1949

EDWARDSVILLE—At Watt's Shipyard, May 6th, 1949 Mr. Nicholson and General Mar-Comprising the court were the fol- shall were roommates at Virginia NORTH BAY ST. LOUIS—At Taylor School, May 10th, 1949

P. T. A. Mardi Gras Celebration and Parade

MAYOR W. J. CARVER AND T. T. ROBIN ON TELEVISION

Bay St. Louis was on the air, on the ear and on the eye on Monday night over WDSU radio television "Salute The City' program.

Mayor W. J. Carner gave short histories, as the slides were shown of Bay High School, St. Joseph Acad-Seminary and the J. L. Crump Gar-The registration and poll books den and home, "Holly-Bluff-on-the-

issued by the Hancock County Cir- of Bay St. Louis, though making a grade—Hallowe'en; ninth grade— tem is practically impossible. The slow recovery from the 1947 hurri- Spirit of Carnival. St. Joseph Acadcane, was coming back and that bigger and better days are ahead.

T. T. Robin, president of the Hancock County Chambr of Commerce, city and said that while Bay St. city were: Waveland-The Old Wo-Louis is not a commercial city and man Who Lived in a Shoe; Lakehas few industries it is an ideal place shore School—Magnolia, Mississippi ing of certain species of mosquitoes. to live and a fine place to send child- State Flower. ren for their early education.

residential city."

tive and a boost for the city.

S. J. A. Parents Club To Meet March 8th

The regular monthly meeting of S. J. A. Parents Club will be held next Tuesday, March 8th, in the School Library at 3:15 p. m.

Because the first Tuesday fell on Carnival Day, the meeting was post-

CENTRAL SCHOOL—At Central School, May 11th, 1949 COURTHOUSE—At Courthouse, May 12th, 1949 CITY HALL—At City Hall, May 13th, 1949

after July 1st., 1949. A. C. MITCHELL

The P. T. A. Mardi Gras celebration of last Tuesday was far beyond the expectations of the public, and the pageant, with its floats received the applause of the great crowds parked on both sides of the streets along the route of the parade.

emy, St. Stanislaus, St. Augustine theme. They were as follows: first and drainage ditches. grade—Easter; second grade—Christmas; third grade—St. Patrick's Day; fourth grade-St. Valentine's Day: Mr. Carver also said that the City fifth grade—Thanksgiving;

emy-Knights of the Round Table; St. Stanislaus-Spanish Day: Webb School-May Day; Taylor Schoolspoke on the business angle of our Fourth of July; Schools not in the

Those in the business district enter-"New homes are being built all ing floats were Demoran's Radio around us," Mr. Robin said, "and Service; Wilmer's Grocery; Ramond's ing the value of Bay St. Louis as a fidi Brothers Standard Oil Station; Then young Warren Carver, Jr., Service Station. Arceneaux's Super the Mayor's son made his bow. The Service; Gulf Chevrolet Co.; Hote! entire progarm was timely, informa- | Reed; Engman's Store; Mauffray's | Hardware Store; Kern's Five and Ten Store; Fahey's Drug Store; War-Truck; Mrs. W. F. Witter.

orated cars and bicyclists and horse- that this practice will have to be

The parade formed at Bay High School- with city police, city and nuisances arising from these condicounty school officials, American Legion color bearers, school officials city, in cooperation wth the local in the lead.

Next in line was the King's Float bearing the King, Michael Murphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murphy, of Logtown, in his Royal robes SOUTH BAY-At Webb School, May pages Jimmie Davis and Bill Thorn-If unable to register at your home at the City Hall where the young sary. The effluent from the disposal precinct on the above given dates, queen, Tempie Perkins, daughter of feilds being made to seep through you may come in to the Courthouse Mr. and Mrs. H. Grady Perkins, with a shell, cinder, or gravel trench beat Bay St. Louis, and re-register at her court, Sue Smith, Sherrill Caryour convenience. The old registra- mouche, Genevieve Necaise, Audrey tion books will be Null and Void Garcia and Raymond Tomlinson, Wilford Favre, Sidney Lewis, Larry Smith awaited the arrival of the all ditches and streams. Circuit Clerk, Hancock County, king. Here Mayor W. J. Carver presented the key of the City to his

queen and drank a toast to her. The remainder of the Carnival activities were held at Bay High gym where the King and Queen and Court were entertained by some clever acrobatic dancing by little Harriet Ward. Norma Johnson escorted the king and queen and the to present the breeding of mosquicourt to their seats.

The grand march formed a picture of color and this was followed by general dancing.

The queen's dress was of silver earnations and purple Iris and was attached to the rod of her jeweled

scepter. She wore a jeweled crown. Then came the awarding of prizes for the floats, horsemen and bicyclists. The judges, Mrs. Ruth Wood your city in the future, that you will Luderbacher, J. J. Kelleher and A. L. Weinfurter had a difficult task but knowing none of the children, and having no contact with the school they could and did make impartial selections.

The awards were as follows: City Schools: first grade, first prize; county schools, Waveland School, first prize; Business: Nolan Ladner's Tax Service for his covered wagon drawn by two goats and in the wogan were a coop of chickens and attached was a water keg, won first place; Gilmore's Motor Company won second place for its float entitled "Buttons and Bows."

The prize for bicyclists went to Charles Hille as Humphrey; Miss Merle Radford captured the horseman's prize.

Then came the hard work for the judges who had to have a review of N. C. C. W. To Meet March 9 the street maskers. The prizes went to T. A. Quintini; Mrs. Louis (Rosa)

Guevas and A. J. Peterson. Mr. Kelleher awarded the prizes and in a few well chosen words exdi Gras celebration and to all whose long hours of work made it a success. His remark, that by next year, if bers are requested to attend this this spirit continued, that New Orleans would come to Bay St. Louis Joyce Perniciaro and Ann Helcher. rather than Bay St. Louis go to New and applause.

OUR TOWN

By WARREN J. CARVER

Many requests have come to usfor something to be done about the unsanitary condition existing in some of the drainage ditches within the corporate limits. Through the coop-Proves Great Success corporate limits. Through the cooperation of the local County Health Department, the State Board of Health sent one of their Sanitation supervisors to make a survey of the situation. His report is as follows:

February 21, 1949

Mayor and Commissioners Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

At the request of the Hancock County Health Department a survey was made of certain sections of Bay The City Schools took as their St. Louis from which numerous comtheme for their floats, "Holidays" plaints have been received by both and outclassed many larger organiza- the local health department and your office relative to the unsanitions of years past in developing this tary condition existing in the street

These sections of Bay St. Louis are very low and hat and have such a high static water level that, in many instances, the proper functionsixth ing of a private sewage disposal syseffluent from these systems empties into the street ditches, most of which are so clogged with vegetation and silt that they do not drain at all, the result being constantly standing stagnant water which is very malodorous and ideal for the breed-

The only permanent solution to this problem, and the one that we recommend, is for the city to have a sanitary sewerage system and treatment plant installed to serve these areas. more and more people are recogniz- Radio and Electrical Supply; Sca- However, it is my understanding that Bay St. Louis is financially unable Kenmar's Service Station; Gilmore's to undertake this venture at the present time, and will have to resort to other methods to eliminate

these unsanitary conditions. The health department cannot approve of the effluent from private ner's Restaurant; Knock-Knock Club; sewage disposal systems and grease Monti-Carver Plumbing Company; traps emptying onto the surface of Nolan Ladner's Taxi Service; Cedar the ground or into any street or ditch. Point Carnival Club; Ortte's Sound However, since it is apparently impossible in some areas to dispose of Then there were a number of dec- this waste underground, it is felt permitted to continue.

To eliminate, in so far as possible, tions, it is recommended that the health department, carry out a carefully planned maintenance program in these sections which, it is felt,

should include the following: 1. Where needed, require properand on the float with him were his ty owners to construct septic tanks and disposal fields with positive ton. The parade on its return halted outlets permitted only when necesfore being allowed to discharge into

any ditch or stream. 2. Use available equipment and manpower to immediately clean out

3. Lower street and driveway culverts where necessary to permit prop-Royal Highness who saluted his er flow and drainage of ditches. 4. Repair concrete inverts where

sunk or broken. 5. Employ a crew of two men the year around to maintain these ditches and keep them free of vegetation, debris, and silt; and to spray with a larvicide at regular intervals

6. During dry periods flush the ditches out periodically.

It is realized that this is not an ideal solution to this problem, but it sequins over white satin and her is felt that if the above recommenbouquet was of yellow acacia, white dations are conscientiously carried out the benefits derived from this work will be much greater than the time and money expended.

It is sincerely hoped that in planning improvements to be made by be able to include the installation of a complete sewerage system and modern treatment plant. Very truly yours,

CLYDE X. COPELAND Advisory Sanitation Supervisor.

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT TO BE FORMED

Plans are now being drawn for the formation of a Volunteer Fire Department for Bay St. Louis. Mayor Warren Carver stated that a meeting of all those interested in becoming active members of the department will be held on Friday, March 11, 1949, at 8:00 o'clock at the Court-

At Pass Christian

The March-meeting of the National Council of Catholic Women will be held on Wedneslay, March 9th at tion to those responsible for the Mar- 3 p. m. at Pass, Christian. Anyone George Guilbault at 898-J. All mem-

In special boxes were the queen's Orleans for Carnival, brought laughs family, the king's family and last year's king and queen, Herman Pol-Ushers for the Royal Court were lion and Lyndall Heitzmann.



The queen and king of the S. J. A. Carnival Ball of last Friday night, as they greeted their subjects. -Photo by Tony Scafidi

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State Boxing Tournament To Be Held At Bay High, March 10, 11, 12

The State High School Boxing Tournament begins at Bay High Gym on Thursday night, March 10 and the finals will be held on Saturday night March 12.

Teams entered are St. Stanislaus, Bay High, G. C. M. A., Hattiesburg Demonstration, Brooklyn A. H. S., and Belzoni. There will be approximately 70 boys entered from the each night.

St. Stanislaus is the top heavy favorite to take top laurels, with season record of 6 wins and 1 loss. The one Rockachaw loss was to Demonstration on a short 7 bout card.

Such stars as Linton of Demonstration; Randolph, Cole, and Oliver, islaus will appear in the tourney. Ring officials have not been chosen,

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but will be announced later.

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one-third to slightly more than onebalf. "The heavy construction program will continue to require large additional amounts of new capital," Mr. Wilson said, "and sound financing for the long run requires that the greater part of the new money come from the issue of stock through bond conversions or otherwise. These facts emphasize the need for earnings that will attract and safeguard additional equity capital."

While operating revenues were up 102 percent over 1941, the last prewar year, operating expenses have increasd 148 percent in the same period. "The average rate of earnings of the Bell System since the war on the total capital invested in the business has been even lower than the subnormal earnings during the war, which were the lowest in the system's history up to that time except for the worst years of the depression in the early 1930," Mr. Wilson said Wage and other costs have con-

tinued to rise and Mr. Wilson declared it important that proper adjustments in prices for telephone service be made effective as promptly as possibe. He said that rate increases pending, plus those already granted, average only 18 per cent of revenues and that telephone rates States Bell System's Annual have increased far less than the cost of living and the rise in telephone wages and other costs of opera-

Bell Telephone service was improv- Regarding the anti-trust suit ed during 1948 to the best level since against A. T. & T. and Western Elecprewar years, and new facilities re- tric, the report says the charges are quired to further improve the ser- without foundation and that the six schools, with from 12 to 14 fights vice and to meet demand were install- Companies will contest the suit to

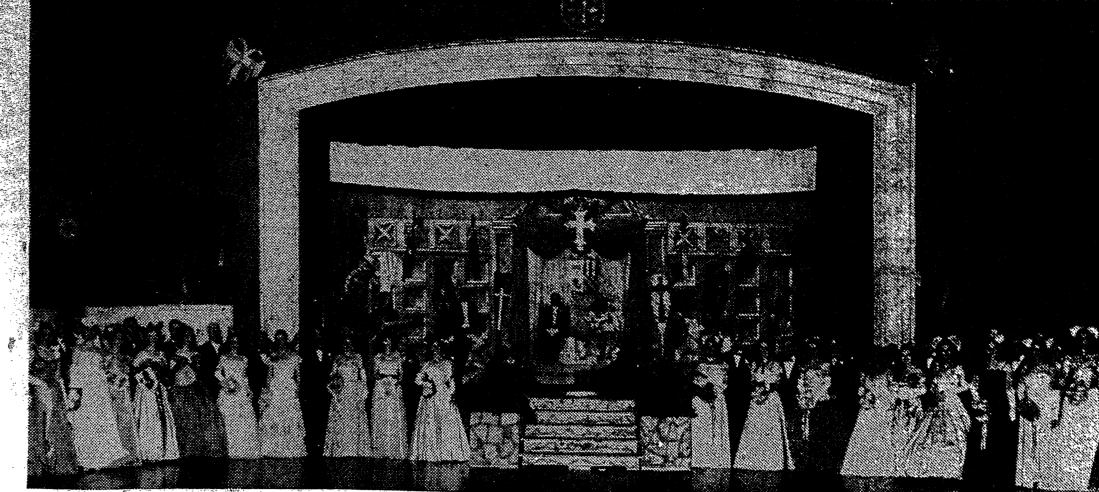
roy A. Wilson, President of the Amer- | Progress of Bell System research ican Telephone and Telegraph Com- since the war has been "tremenpany, states in the Company's annual dous." During 1948 marked advance was made in installing equip-Bell System 1948 expenditures for ment which enables customers to new construction totalled nearly One dial calls to nearby cities in the and ½ billion dollars and new cap- same manner as local calls. New ital raised exceed \$1 billion. Since equipment developed by Bell Telethe end of the war, to meet the pub- phone laboratories employs an elecof Bay High; Morreale. LaBruzzo, lic's needs for service, the system tric "Brain" to complete the calls, Schwartz, and Palerno of St. Stan- has obtained some \$2,750,000,000 of while automatic apparatus gathers past.

standing. Telephones increased by developments include a completely 2,860,000 to nearly 31,400,000 and new type of amplifier called the trancalls reached a new high of 177,- sitor, a new method for carrying 000,000 a day. Four out of every more conversations on short toll cafive new applications for service bles, improvements in radio relay were cared for but demand was so systems and a new "Alpeth" telegreat that 1,150,000 people were phone cables covered with tough plaswaiting at the year"s end. Average tic as a substitute for lead.

time for completing out-of-town con- New long distance dialing netnections has been cut to 1.8 minutes works now enable operators to dial -20 per cent faster than a year ago. calls straight through to distant tel-Consolidated net income of the bell ephones in some 300 cities, the re-System applicable to A. T. & T. Com- sult is faster and more accurate ser-

or \$9.86 per share on the average With the recent linking of east weekly terms on balance. American Company net income televisión transmission, programs amounted to \$9.20 per share. Tel- can now be broadcast simultaneously ephone plant investment rose to \$8,- from the Atlantic to the Mississippi by 32 television stations in areas

increased the proportion of debt in Rural telephones have increased total Bell System capital from about 65 percent since the war; during this



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The Methodist Youth Fellowship,

announces a rummage sale on Satur-

day, February 5, on the lot directly

opposite the Methodist Church. Come

but and see what these young people

have to offer you from their mis-

The MYF has been doing a great

part in church work and has attend-

ed several of the Conferences and is

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long the lines of a sweepstake or Marc Andrew Mitcher.

The Navy has found that loud, In the last six months, the Navy's Air Transport Squadron Two, using the flying boats, MARS, averaged over seven hours in the air per plane

The "new" snorkel, submarine A new anti-submarine destroyer breathing device now used by the U. The project will be carried on will be named in honor of Admiral S. Navy, was conceived 120 years

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is the LAST DAY For filing applications for Homestead Exemption. You are urged to file early to avoid last minute rush. Office is open Monday through Saturday

Claiborne J. Ladner

Tax Assessor Hancock County

The Court of the S. J. A. Carnival Ball of last Friday night, showing the King and Queen on their throne.

ed at the highest rate in history, Le-! the limit.

new capital, about two-fifths of its information for billing. capital of \$6,831,000,000 now out- Other important current research

pany stock in 1948 was \$222,416,000, vice. per share investment of over \$134. coast and midwest networks for

New financing since the war, has where 40,000,000 people live.

period the Bell Companies have installed rural telephones three times

faster than ever before. During 1948 the Company's stockholders increased by 42,000 to a new high of 765,800. Shares outstanding 23,350,963. About one in every 60 St. Louis in starting an Annual Egg families in the United States shares Perby. directly in the ownership of the Bell

Mr. Wilson concluded by emphas- horse race. Instead of horses the izing the importance of the many entries will be Eggs. Each egg will nem and improved facilities being in- have a number and name as well as corporated in the telephone plant. He expressed confidence that "the American people understand the need among the young ladies of this area. for maintaining on a sound financial The Hatching" will be sponsored basis the essential public services by a New Orleans hatchery. Actual performed by the Bell System" and date of setting will be Saturday, said the system looked forward to March 26, 1949. Date of hatching providing a service better and more will probably be Saturday, April valuable than at any time in the 16, 1949.

The Navy's Arctic breathing con- about town. The limit placed on serves a great amount of body heat investments to be \$10 on any enand moisture lost through normal trant by one person.

Navy helicopters are invaluable for urrently being used at all race moving key personnel between ships tracks. Odds on various entries will

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U.S. Treasury Department

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it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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World War II veterans receiving education or training under the GI Bill are urged by the Veterans Administration to include the name and address of their school or training establishment in all correspond-

ence with V. A. This information should be included in addition to the clearly legible, complete name and address of, QUESTIONS & ANSWERS the veteran and the extremely important claim number.

Student-veterans and job-trainees at a VA hospital? who follow this advice will expedite any action on their case by VA and avoid delays often caused by lack of sufficient information contained in correspondence for veterans.

Veterans Administration has con-

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habilitation of VA's Department of her choice of available plans. Medicine and Surgery, and the Division of Adjunctive Therapy of the

were conducted at VA general med- me another one? ical and surgical hospitals in Rich-Los Angeles, California. Two pre-tomobile to an eligible veteran. vious courses also were held at the Topeka hospital.

ned for the Topeka VA hospital and to a liberal arts college, a high for other general medical and sur-school, or similar institution under gical hospitals, to keep corrective the Vocational Rehabilitation Act? personnel informed of the latest development in their field.

Q-I am a World War II veteran. Is my wife eligible for treatment

A-Not unless your wife is an ex-service woman. Dependants of veterans are not entitled to hospitalization under the VA.

Q-I want to give the beneficiary ducted a training program for cor- of my NSLI the right of choosing, in rective thereapists at the Winter VA the event of my death, either a lump hospital in Topeka, Kansas, to broad- sum settlement or any of the availen their understanding of the needs able monthly payments plans. If I and problems of neuropsychiatric pa- designate no option, will she have this right?

The course—the sixth given for A—No. Payment in a lump sum corrective therapy personnel in VA may be disignated only by the in-

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..... hospitals—was a joint program of sured. However, if you provide for the Division of Physical Medicine Re- lump sum payment, she may have

> Q-The automobile furnished me Institute of Psychological Medicine. by VA was totally wrecked in an Training programs previously unavoidable accident. Will VA give

> A—There is no provision under the mond, Virginia; Hines, Illinois, and law to provide more than one au-

Q-Must a disabled veteran go Future training programs are plan- to a vocational school or may he go

A-He may enroll in any VA-approved educational institution or training establishment offering the course of training which Veterans Administration has found that he needs ot insure his proper rehabilitation in line with his own desires.

GAINESVILLE NEWS

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Cora Miller on Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs Lawrence Mays and Mrs. Roy Richards and Willie Daughters, Sharron Kay of Gulfport. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hudson of Flat Top; Mrs. Tommie Patch, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sones and little Billy and Linda Sones and Mrs. Jeanne Williams and son of Bay St. Louis. Cake and coffee was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis are the proud parents of a little daughter. She has been given the Lydia Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Osbourne are the proud parents of a little son, Jerry Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Chapman and ittle son Jerry were visitors here

Miss Gladys Patch of Clarke College visited her parents here over the week end.

Mrs. Robert Davis is in Charity Hospital in New Orleans for treat

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Clermont Harbor /And Lakeshore News

Th regular monthly meeting of the Blue Jean Garden Club of Clermont Harbor was held at the home

of Mrs. H. L. Wesner, Sr., on Monday, February 21. Those attending were: Mesdames Ben Peterson, Wayne Hazlett, Chas. Augustin, J. P. Rousseau, B. O. Bon-

Mrs. John Saleeby won the entrance prize, a potted fern. The blue ribbon for flower arrangement was

won by Mrs. F. O. McCoy.

We are expecting a guest at the March meeting who will demonstrate man to do many things, to build and Mrs. A. J. Carrick.

day, February 23. It was a sunny to us visited the school and we enday and the Gardens were at their joyed seeing her.

best, very brilliant with Azaleas and Camellias in full bloom. Upon leav—lins, President of our sponsor club. ing the Gardens the bus drove into We are working hard to prepare for

Those making the trip were: Mes- the beauties of nature. dames J. P .Rousseau, Ben Peterson, tagnan, H. Burlegh, Theo. Schroth, A. Satellite units. J. Carrick, I. J. Williams, Ola Moran, L. J. Kern, Roy Dennis, Robert Gough A. J. Fleming, R. J. Ladner, John Erskine, Wayne Hazlett. J. U. Jagot, H. L. Wesner, Sr., Mr. FOR RELIEF OF H. L. Wesner, Sr.

The Clermont Harbor Home Demonstration Club met with Miss Madge Allred, County Demonstration Agent, at the home of Mrs. Ola Moran. Miss Allred displayed a very beautiful hooked rug and gave instructions for making rugs of old woolen material and new yarn.

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Mrs. C. E. Allen of Clermont Harbor showed some very lovely braided rugs and demonstrated how to make them.

This was the largest, meeting the club has had. There were fifteen of our twnty-three members present. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Harold Burleigh and the demonstration will be "Seams and Finishes."

TAYLOR SCHOOL NEWS

necarre, John Saleeby, H. I. Wesner, The Junior Garden Club of the R. W. Taylor Primary School has been very busy with the bird study program, enjoying the many things we learn about our robins, mocking-

flower arranging. Each member is to fly and make music. They deasked to bring as many arrangements stroy bugs and mice that damage as they care to to help in the demon- the farmer's crops. They scatter stration. Let's all be present. The seeds from which grow trees and next meeting will be at the home of wild flowers. They are truly good friends. We should protect them in every way we can.

The Blue Jean Garden Club of We have had much fun watching Clermont Harbor sponsored a trip our clown plant grow his green to Bellingrath Gardens on Wednes- hair. The nice lady who gave him

Mobile and through the tunnel then the Junior program next month, we followed the Azalea Trail on the way want to show these ladies we appreciate the hélp given us to learn about

Ruth Miller, H. Russ, Willie Spence, In 25 years the Naval Air Reserve John Necaise, C. E. Becker, David has grown from one base with one Graham, John Saleeby, A. G. Dan-seaplane to 27 air stations and 34

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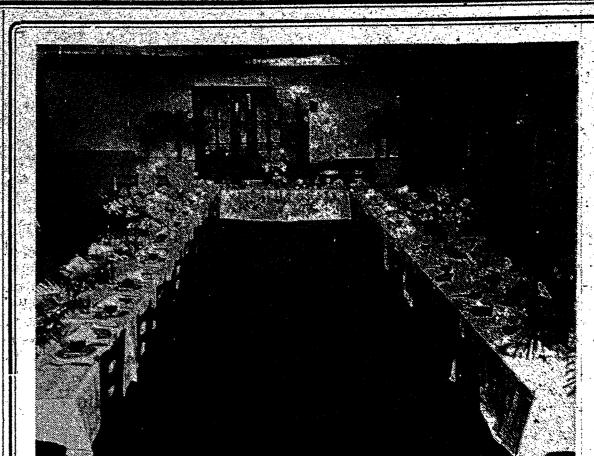
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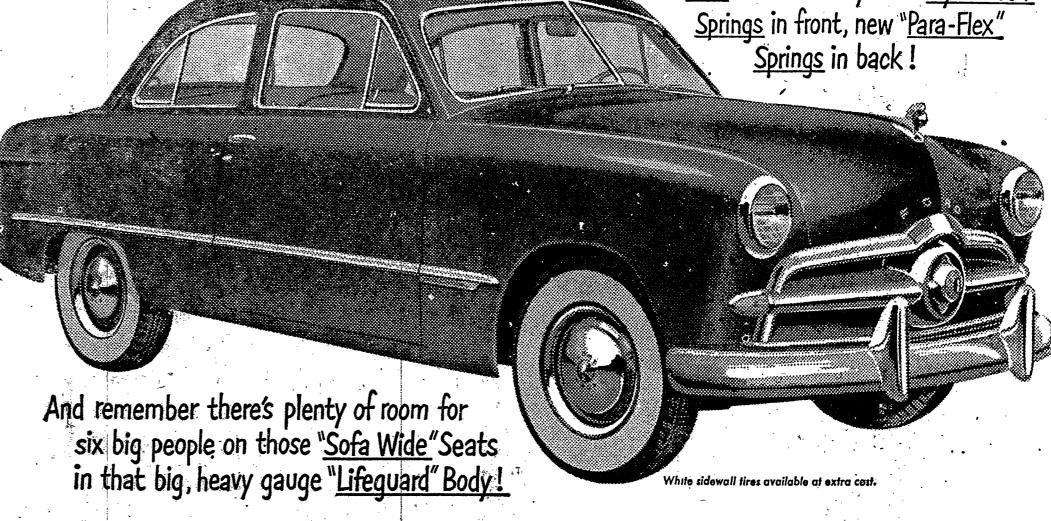
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The 1949 advertising program will open in the March 7 issue of TIME magazine with a double-page spread in three-colors. Manufacturers Record and Business Week will carry ths same ad while a black and white reproduction will appear in The Wall Street Journal.

On March 21, TIME will carry a full-page two color ad that will recognize 41 Central Mississippi communities now served by United Gas. Similar ads in the other three publications will follow.

The 1949 series is a contribution of the company's advertising program which was launched nearly 10 Caffin street, on Saturday, Februyears ago to stimulate development ary 19. Mrs. Tardo left besides Mrs. of industry in the Gulf South. Last Loiacano, five sons, Anthony, Josyear, various areas received recog- eph, Sam and Frank Tardo of New nition but the 1949 ads will be the Orleans and Henry Tardo of Merifirst to call attention to individual dian, and daughter Mrs. A. Deffes of communities.

In subsequent issues, other communities served by the company in children. Mrs Tardo was 71 years Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Louis- of age. iana and Texas areas will be mentioned in special full-page, two color advertisements.

Each ad in the 1949 national series will go into the hands of nearly 2,000,000 subscribers of the four publications, which has a wide distribution among heads of the industry throughout the United States.

Funeral Services For Leroy D. Williams

liams, 17 months old son of Mr. and Mississippi to the undersigned as ad-Mrs. Leroy Williams, who died on ministratrix, with Will annexed, Tuesday at the home of his parents upon the Estate of Mrs. Pauline in New Orleans, was held on Wed- Johnston Favre, deceased. Notice is nesday afternoon from the home hereby given to all persons having of his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. claims against said estate to pre-Horatio Ladner with interment in sent and have same probated and the Lakeshore cemetery. Rev. J. T. registered by the Clerk of said Court Bonncarre conducted the services. within six months from this date

and a sister Catherine. The baby This the 2nd day of March, 1949. was a nephew of Mrs. Clairborne Ladner of this city.

Funeral Services For Lt. Louis T. Ranson, Saturday

The body of Lt. Louis T. Ransoon, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ranson, who died overseas during World War company continues to advertise the II, will arrive in New Orleans on Saturday, March 5th, 1949, at 7:30

Funeral services will take place that same day from the Funeral Home of E. J. Ranson and Sons, Inc., 1024 Elysian Fields Avenue, with religious services from the Church of the Holy Rosary on Esplanade Avenue, and interment in St. Louis Cemetery No. 3, Esplanade Avenue.

Mrs. Loiacano Loses Mother

Mrs. A. P. Loiacanó is receiving sympathy in the death of her mother Marion Palamo Tardo, of New Orleans who died at her home 1415 New Orleans. She also left 20 grandchildren, and seven great-grand-

In winter maneuvers off Argentina only one warship fitted with modern gear was "lost" and five enemy" snorkel sumbarines were "sunk."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Administratrix Notice To Creditors Mrs. Pauline Johnston Favre, Deceased

Letters of administration with Will annexed have been granted on the 2nd day of March, 1949, by the The funeral of Leroy Dale Wil- Chancery Court of Hancock County, Surviving are Leroy Dale's parents or they will forever be barred.

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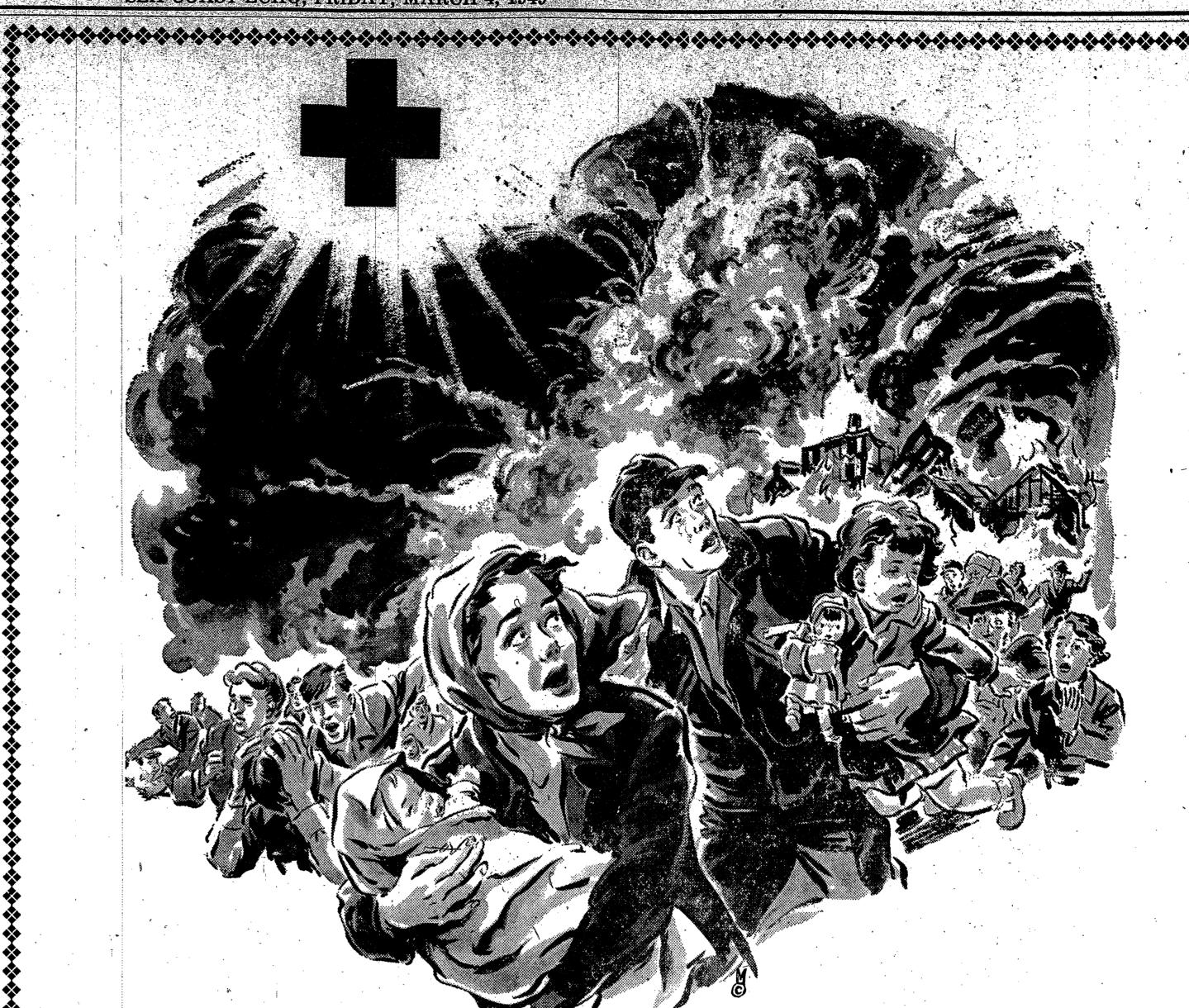
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Last year, through your Red Cross, in 303 disaster relief operations you brought emegency care and rehabilitation aid to over 300,000 people at a total cost of 12,771,-

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Waveland News

On Tuesdaq, February 22nd, the E. J. Salaun's great-grandson. first annual Hancock County Relay sponsored by the Board of Supervisors was held. The Waveland Eelementary School came through victorto the school.

The following boys participated in this event: Malcolm Moreau, John geois, Donald Dorn, Donald Peter-third birthday on Sunday. son, Leroy Peterson, and Ronald Lan-

son Terry of Newark, Ohio, drove ed in white and pink.

Factory Packed

Fresh Yard

Wilmer's Grocery

Pan-fried Ham Slices with

Milk Gravy

Boiled Potatoes

Chopped Spinach

Crisp Celery

Oatmeal Raisin Bread

Sliced Oranges with

Shredded Coconut

NOTE: Starred items (meal of the week specials) in ad will make this meal.

Catmeal Raisin

Bread

Turn on oven; set at moderately slow

(350° F.). Grease a medium loaf pan

about 8 x 4 x 3 in. deep. Resift flour,

baking powder, soda and salt. Fold in

oats, raisins and nuts. Beat egg until

light and fluffy. Beat in sugar grad-

vinegar and molasses. Stir in flour-

mixture quickly but thoroughly: Put

into prepared pan. Bake on oven shelf

slightly below center 1 to 11/4 hours,

or until bread shrinks from sides of

pan. Let stand in pan 5 minutes before

You Will Need:

Pack

turning out. Makes 1 medium loaf.

PET MILK ---3 cans

RAISINS

ROLLED OATS

ually. Stir in mixture of milk, water,

1/4 cup finely cut

½ cup sugar, ¼ cup Pet Milk

1/3 cup cooking

1½ cups sifted all-purpose flour

½ teaspoon baking powder

l teaspoon soda ½ teaspoon salt

4 cup uncooked rolled oats

Meal of the Week

BY MARY-LEE TAYLOR

down to New Orleans to spend the Carnival Season with Mrs. Priest's by Norma Ann and Norman Sonier. parents Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Assen- Delicious refreshments were served heimer. They spent Washington's Birthday with Mrs. Priest's grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Salaum useful gifts.

here in Waveland. Their son Terry is Mr. and Mrs.

Word has been received that Mr. ious in their division. Each member rived on Valentine's Day and weighed Vital and Dorothy Netto, Marilyn and of the team was presented with a gold 7 pounds, 9½ ounces. Her name is Richard Noonan, Ray Ann Favre, medal, and trophy was awarded Karen Ann. Mrs. Molony is the Jeanette Saucier, Elaine Yarborough former Miss Marie Hilda Leonhard.

Peterson, Joseph Tanet, Louis Lad- gave a party in honor of their daugh- Erwin and Jerry Ladner, Mrs. Grace ner, Roland Soldini, Joseph Bour- ter Carol Ann who celebrated her Ann Wilson, Mesdames Lottie Lad-

white and pink. The table was cov- Vital Bourgeois, Edna Necaise, Alfred ered with a lace cloth and in the Bourgeois, Buddy Bourgeois, Mr. J. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Priest and center was the birthday cake decorat- W. Olsen, Mr. and Mrs. Toulme Net-

Games were played and prizes won Carol Ann received many lovely and

Among theose present were: Jerry Ladner, Ronnie Ferrel, Norma and Norman and Lawrence Sonier, Buddie Ladner, Anna Mae Oliver. She Pucheu, Clyde, Sarline and Forest and Mrs.. Ken Molony are the proud Bourgeois, Bradley, Bobbie, John parents of a fine baby girl who ar- Suzette and Carolyn Carver; Mel, Butchie Kay, Ronnie Bourgeois, Patsy and Travers Bozeman, Jr., Brenda Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bourgeois Ann Brechtel, Linda Ann Mazarakis,

ner, Lee Ferrelll Edgar Bourgeois, The living room was decorated in Edith Pecsau, Hilda Stathopolas, to, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Favre, Mr. and

VEGETABLES

The Arms of the Secretary and Cittle Chesire

Tryouts will be held at the theater building on Tuesday, March 8th, at 8 P. M., for the rollicking clever comedy hit, "My Sister Eileen."

It is not necessary to be a member of the theater to participate in these plays, so anyone desiring to try for a role is more than welcome to come. This play requires a large cast, so it is sincerely hoped that many will be on hand for the casting. The performance is tentatively scheduled for the middle of May. The exact dates have not been decided so far, but will be announced later in this column.

Memberships are still coming in rather slowly, so may we again take this opportunity to remind you to send in your dues for your 1949 membership card.

Rehearsals are going full swing for the mystery thriller, "Ten Little 🐟 Indians", which will be shown at the Little Theater on the nights of March 31st April 1st and 2nd. This is a revised date, one week later than originally scheduled, so please be sure to keep one of these nights free, as you will not want to miss this excellent performance.

Mrs. Herman Yarborough, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bourgeois, Mrs. Sidney Bourgeois, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bozeman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carvin, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Castro.

Miss Shirley Turcotte and Msis Beverly Bourgeois spent several days in Nw Orleans during the Carnival season. While there they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Schwander and children, Linda and Jake.

Misses Audry, Catherine and Beverly Bourgeois, Bobbie Jenkins, and Shirley Turcotte entertained at the home of Mrs. Ducre Bourgeois, on 🗞 Monday, February 21st at 7:00 P. M. 🛦 at a miscellaneous shower complimentary to Mrs. Theresa Bordages The hostesses presented the honoree

with a corsage of pink camellias. The color scheme was carried out in pink and white. On each side of the chair in which the bride set were

On a table was a doll house surrounded by imitation grass and a flower garden where a miniature bride and groom and maids stood. The bride's table was covered with

a lace cloth on which pink carnations were used in a novel arrangement. In the center was the wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, soft drinks and cakes were served. The guest list includes Mesdames H. K. Holderith, Garfield Ladner, Ory Bourgeios, Ed. Qipson, Alfred Bourgeois, Sylvan Ladner, Sidney Bourgeois, Guy Drew, Adele Tucker, Henry Bourgeois, Stanley, Weidman, Willie Bourgeois, Mary Lou Parsons, Frank Bourgeois,, Arvil Jenkins, Beryl Murtagh, Paul Soldinie, Vital Bourgeois, Bob Condon, Janet Harrison, C. Schwartz, Tom Bourgeois, Turner Soldinie, Santos Saucier, Ben Bourgeois, Lanell Slocum, L. A. Rogers, Randolph Bourgeois, Roger Bordages, P. J.

Fred Bourgeois. Misses Rosemary Holderith, Doris Carrio, Lorraine Villere, Joy Starita, Patsy Gex, Gloria Necaise, Ann Jenkins, Mable Bourgeois, Gertrude Johnson, Bernadine Bourgeois, Evelyn and Margaret Turcotte, Laboria Bourgeois and Marian Bourgeois.

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News Of Our Colored People

GENEVIEVE HARRISON, REPORTE

-Br. P. Q. Yancey of Atlanta, Ga., cial thanks are extended to Mayor cey, brother-in-law, Fabian Labat, sister-in-law, Miss Veronica Labat, and Mrs. E. Lacy, motored down to Bay St. Louis to join his wife Mrs. Clothilde Yancey and children. After which they went to New Orleans St. Louis are today playing in the for the Carnival season. All were Gulf Coast Basketball Tournament guests of Miss Portia Labat.

-Alonzo Daniels, Jr. and cousin visitors in New Orleans for the Carnival season.

On Friday, February 25 "The Old Ship of Zion," a religious pageant was presented by the pastor and members of the First Baptist Church for the benefit of the reconstruction of their church that was destroyed 3|4|1tpd. his congregation are to be congratulated for their untiring efforts in making this program a success. Turkey dinners, with all trimmings, with

cake for dessert were sold by Mrs. Hayward, who appreciates the kind assistance and patronage of all. Spe-

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along with his brother Patrick Yan- Warren Carver by Mrs. Hayward for his contributions toward making her effort a success.

The two nigh school teams of Bay at St. Theresa gym, Gulfport. St. Rose's last game was played Friday Marian Spann, were among the many night, Feb. 25 here in their gym. They closd a favorable scheduled season in their gym with Our Mother of Sorrow, (O. M. S.) High School of Biloxi. St. Rose's girls team showed themselves well in form as they won their game 29 to 16 with Odele Reed taking high point honors with 14 points and Clementine Gladys Bartlett Jones, 135 State by the hurricane. Rev. Peters and Smith not any ashamed as she scor-

ed 13 points. The Junior Boys of St. Rose were a little outclassed and lost their game

The varsity boys' game was one that kept everyone on their toes, for with the fast scoring of each quintet, it was plain to-see that only time would be able to present the winner and it did. St. Rose ran out and O. M. S. showed up three points better, score 80-77. Sorry was St. Rose to lose, but pleased with their showing as this is one of the highly favored teams in the Gulf Coast tournament. St. Philomena School of Pass Christian, the elementary girls of St. Rose, the C. Y. O. of Pass Christian and St. Rose's Varsity girls teams played here again on Sunday afternoon. St. Rose's ele-Three-burner Apartment Stove, mentary girls lost 21-13, but the var-\$20.00; General Electric Washing sity girls team of St. Rose had their

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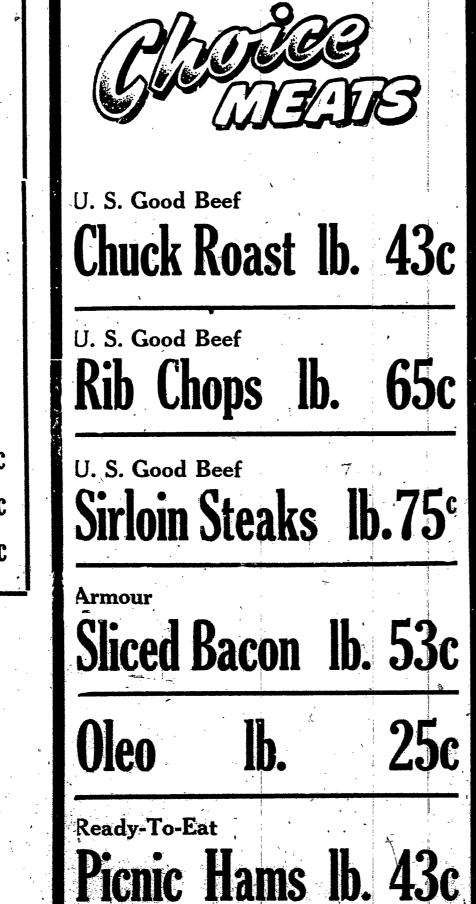
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The Rev. Girault McArthur Jones, Bishop-Elect of Louisiana; Mrs. Jones, Elizabeth Girault (left) and Virginia Kathleen Jones.

of Louisiana in Christ Church Cath- Paul's, Woodville, he was also oredral, New Orleans, on Wednesday, dained there as deacon in June 1928. Bay St. Louis, to his care. His ordination as priest was at St.

pacity of the church, tickets for the he was the first and only resident July, 1936. Since then he has been service are being very strictly ration- minister, on May 19, 1929. ed, but the service will be broadcast. As lay reader while vacationing the time of his election as bishop in part by station WNOE from 11:30 from Sewanee, he was in charge of of Louisiana he was president of the 3|4|3t. to 12:30 o'clock. Recordings of the services at Trinity Church, Hatties- Standing Committee of that diocese. complete service will be made for la- burg, in 1926 and of the churches

rida, and Bishop Gravatt of Upper in charge, serving also St. Paul's Feb. 1949. South Carolina. Bishop Gray of Mis-Picayune (organized as a mission sissippi, and Bishop Carruthers, of under his ministry in 1929), and un-South Carolina, will be the presen- organized groups in Columbia, Popters. A number of other bishops larville, Carriere, Wiggins and Purhave also accepted invitations to take vis.

Long

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In February, 1931, he became rector part in the service. The Bishop-elect was born at Cen- of Trinity Church, Pass Christian

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The Rev. Girault M. Jones, who terville, Miss., where he was baptized while retaining all of his previous began his life and ministry in Mis- at home since there was no church work in the St. Alban's field. About tendent of Education. sissippi, will be consecrated Bishop there at that time. Confirmed in St. 1934 or 1935 he added Christ Church,

Mr. Jones became rector of St. the 28th day of February, 1949. Because of the limited seating ca- Alban's cherch, Lumberton, of which Andrew's Church, New Orleans, in (Signed) active in the Diocese of Louisiana. At Two other brothers are in the

in Winona, Vaiden, Carrollton and ministry of the Church, the Rev. The Presiding Bishop of the Church West in 1927. As deacon he took Cecil B. Jones, of Columbus, Miss., will be the consecrator. Co-conse-charge of St. Alban's Church, Lum- and the Rev. Winfred P. Jones, of crators will be Bishop Juhan, of Flo-berton, and continued these as priest Palatka, Florida-The Church News,

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Board of Supervisors of Hancock nated date to comply with said order. County, Mississippi will receive seal- ANSLEY—At Fred Buffa Place ed bids until 11 A. M. Monday, March 7, 1949 and sell to the highest PEARLINGTON-At- J. P. Court bidder for cash the following described equipment:

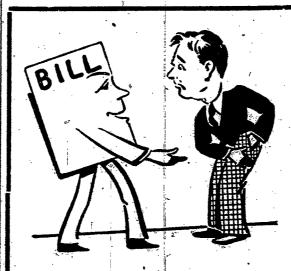
One (1) ten inch pump size, Hydraulic Dredge, eight inch discharge, GAINESVILLE—At Jos. Jones Place, with all welded steel hull, equipped with five (5) Cylinder Bucyrus FLAT TOP-At Old School House, Diesel engine and Caterpillar electric power unit. Hull size 70 feet AARON ACADEMY—AT School by 300 feet. Approximately 500 feet pontoons and 500 feet shore line, cutter head Dredge, as per plans and specifications on file in the office

of the Clerk of this Board. And be it further ordered that a certified check for the sum of ten percent (10%) of the actual bid accompany each bid submitted, this check to be credited on purchase price, or returned to unsuccessful

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of office this the 27th day of January, A. D. 1949.

A. C. MITCHELL Clerk of Board of Supervisors.



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Soil Conservation News the open places where pine reproductions are insufficient for a stand,

By J. L. Bishop, Soil Conservationist 1950 in these areas. Pine seedlings

Mr. D. E. Lauderburn, Area For- until all open area are planted. Mr. ester with the Soil Conservation Ser- Taylor plans to construct a firebreak the score was fied 6-6. vice visited Hancock County Soil and fence around the woodland Conservation District on Saturday, boundary in order to protect from ginning to show up much better af-February 18th, Mr. Lauderburn's fire and livestock visit was in response to a request for . Mr. Lauderburn discussed the ac- belts. assistance with forestry problems cepted method of thinning and the on Fred C. Taylor's farm, a Coop- use to be made of various size trees erator with the District on Texas to be removed from the standpoint GCMA and Relzon, with both teams

a harvest of mature trees, cutting best species of pine to plant, best and Martinez triumphed over Shaninferior bottom-land hardwoods spacing and rate per acre for plant- non of Belzoni, which are crowding young slash ing, fire control, grazing and various BAY HIGH pines and converting into pulpwood other problems connected Mr. Taylor expects to cut poles and growing high quality trees. pilings first, then cut saw logs and This is one of the services avail- 65 lbs.—R. Holloway lost converting tops into pulpwood, thus able to the Cooperators of the Hangiving him additional units of pulp-cock County Sil Conservation Diswood which ordinarily would have trict through the Soil Conservation 75 lbs.—Cole over been wasted. Pulpwood cutting will Service. be the last operation. Some hardwood saw logs will be cut also. In

NOTICE TO ALL BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the County-Superintendent of Education, Bay St. Louis, Miss., by the board of trustees of the Kiln Consolidated High School, Kiln, Miss., before 10:00 A, M., o' clock, Saturday, March 19, 1949, for the construction of the following

(a) Construction of a teachers home, repair and remodel school building, erect a climb proof fence around school grounds.

(b) Water proof school building A combination bid may be submitted covering construction of both projects, each proposal must be accompanied by a Certified Check or Bid Bond in the amount of at least 5% of the amount of the bid and made payable without condition to the owner, as a guarantee that the bidder if awarded the contrct, will ? within 10 days furnish a surety bond of 100% of the contract to owners ******************************* as a guarantee to fulfilling the contract agreement.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the County Superin-The board reserves the right to re-

ject any and all bids. Done by order of the trustees, this

> S. S. MORAN MRS. SAM HAAS LOVANDER NECAISE

NOTICE TO VOTERS NEW REGISTRATION

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK Pursuant to Chapter 3222 Mississippi Code of 1942 the Board of Sup-

ervisors of Hancock County, have ordered a new registration of the Voters of Hancock County. Therefore, I, A. C. Mitchell, Circuit

Clerk of Hancock County, will be at Notice is hereby given that the the following places on the desig-April 1st, 1949

> house, April 5th, 1949. LOGTOWN-At Fountain's Grocery, April 6th, 1949

April 7th, 1949. April 8th, 1949

Houss, April 14th, 1949 CAESAR-At Leetown Grocery, April 15th, 1949 CATAHOULA-At School House,

April 19th, 1949 ROCKY HILL-At Necaise's Grocery, April 20th, 1949. KILN—At Curet's Grocery, April

21st, 1949 FENTON-At Geo. Cuevas' Store, April 22nd, 1949

STANDARD—At Curve Ladner's Store, April 25th, 1949 DEDEAUX—At School House, April

26th, 1949 CRANE CREEK At Sellers School. April 27th, 1949

LAKESHORE—At Buddy's Green Grocery, April 28th, 1949 LERMONT HARBOR—At Garcia's Grocery, April 29th, 1949 WAVELAND-At Town Hall, May

EDWARDSVILLE—At Watt's Shipyard, May 6th, 1949 ORTH BAY ST. LOUIS—At Taylor School, May 10th, 1949 CENTRAL SCHOOL—At Central

School, May 11th, 1949 COURTHOUSE—At Courthouse, May 12th, 1949 CITY HALL—At City Hall, May

13th, 1949 SOUTH BAY-At Webb School, May €17th, 1949.

If unable to register at your home precinct on the above given dates, you may come in to the Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, and re-register at your convenience. The old registration books will be Null and Void after July 1st., 1949.

A. C. MITCHELL Circuit Clerk, Hancock County,

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Rinaldo Alexander Haas, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on February 9th, 1949, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons go over your policies with having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim. This the 10th day of February, A. D. 1949.

VIOLA HAAS, Administratrix of the Estate of Rinaldo Alexander Haas, Deceased.

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Hawkins

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undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on Williamson the first day of February, 1949, and Roberts all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the clerk of the said court and to have them probated and allowed within six months from this date; failure to do so will bar

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary on the Estate

of MARIE DESPAUX CANEPA, (be-

Eugene (Canepa), deceased, were

granted to the undersigned by the

Chancery Court of Hancock County.

Mississippi, on February 3rd, 1949,

and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims

against said estate to have same pro-

bated and registered by the Clerk

bate and register same in six months

This the 10th day of February, A

Executrix of the Estate of Marie

ESTATE OF JAMES A. ROBIN

will bar the claim.

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the claim.

This the 10th day of February,

Mrs. Germaine M. Robin Executrix.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi will receive sealed bids until 11 A. M. Monday, March 7, 1949 and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described equipment:

One (1) Dragline, Crawler type, Bucyrus Model 39D, 245 foot Boom Motor No. 1144, S_IN 11426, with bucket and clamshell 1½ cubic yard.

And be it further ordered that a certified check for the sum of ten percent (10%) of the actual bid accompany each bid submitted, this check to be credited on purchase price, or returned to unsuccessful

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of office this the 27th day of January, A. D. 1949. A. C. MITCHELL Clerk of Board of Supervisors.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

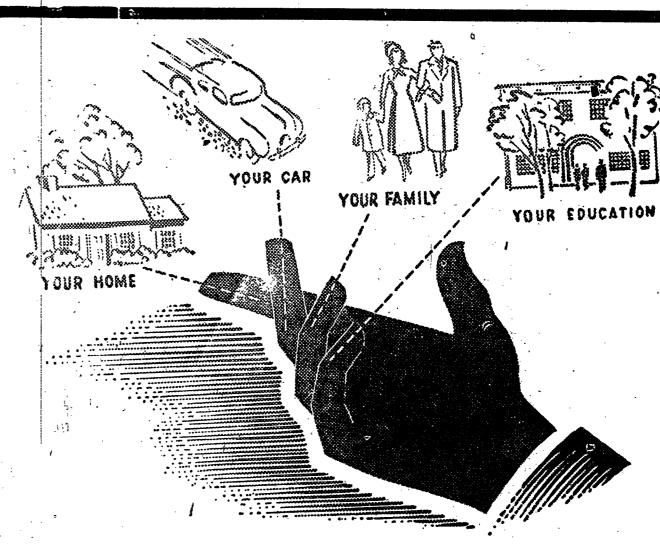
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cock County the following: From date of acceptance until Jaruary 1st. 1950, Bridge lumber, all sizes, heart cypress, also pine, untreated, as per specifications on file in the office of the Clerk of the

Board of Supervisors. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of office this the 27th day of January, A. D. 1949. (SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL

Clerk of Board of Supervisors.



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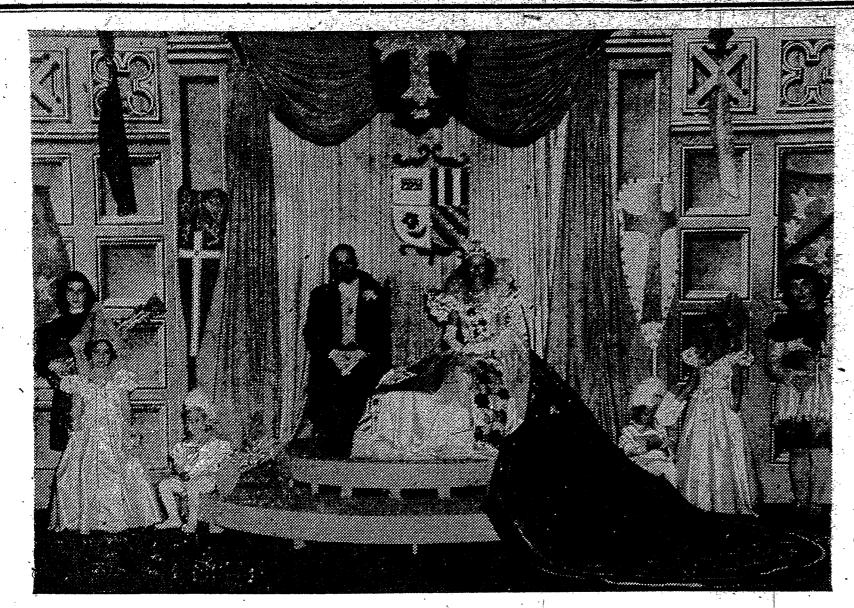
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by the Motor Vehicle Comptroller's office were down \$266,943.74 in February as compared to January, but showed a gain of nearly \$80,000 over the same period a year ago.

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CONSTRUCTION OF \$20,000,000 PLANT TO START IMMEDIATELY Work on the rayon pulp mill will be started immediately, according to an announcement made by Jack M. Friend vice-president of the International Paper Company's southern Kraft Division.

The plant will have an annual capacity of 100 tons for dissolving pulp used by the manufacturers. The company is expected to employ around 800 people and have an annual payroll of \$2,500,000. It has been established that the company will pay out \$2,750,000 to farmers, for pulpwood.

SITE FOR AMMONIA PLANT TO BE DECIDED SOON

Site for the proposed \$12,000,000 an--Photo by Tony Scafidi hydrous ammonia plant to be built by the Mississippi Chemical Corporation is expetced to be made at largement of farms under the recent- legal action is necessary, such action a meeting on March 17th.

Decision as to the actual location two others having already submitted figures to the directors.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 5TH. 2 FEATURES DON BARRY in

"SLIPPY McGEE" ROY ROGERS & SMILEY

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SUNDAY-MONDAY, MAR. 6-7 ROBERT MITCHUM, BARBARA BEL GEDDES & ROBERT

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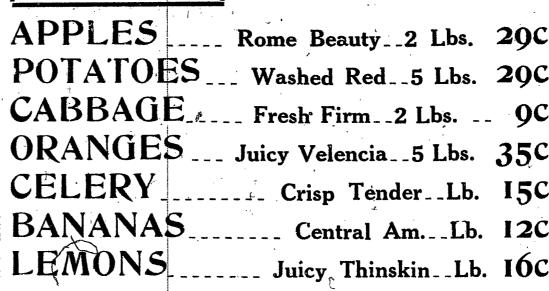
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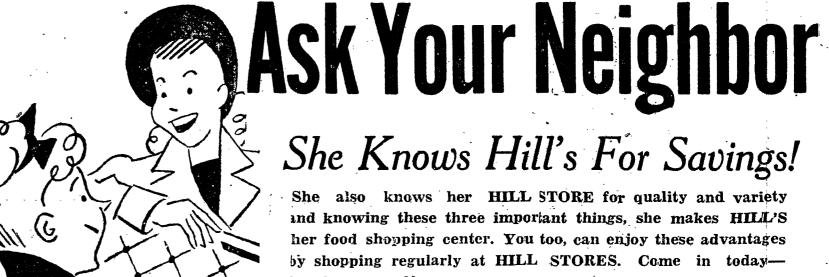




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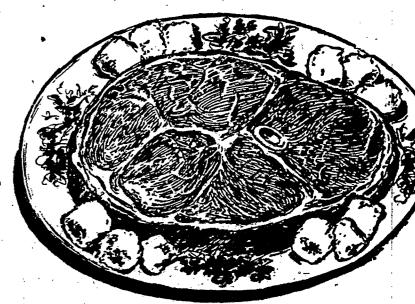
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· REED DETIMATES

Pedro F. Monti

Died Tuesday—Buried

Thursday Morning

and nephews.

Pedro F. Monti died at 4 p. m.

His funeral was held at ten o'clock

on Thursday morning from the Fa-

hey Funeral Home, the Rev. Father

Pallbearers were: Osmond Blaize,

Nelius Favre, Jessie Marquez, Ernest

Quintini, T. F. Monti, and Gene

_Mrs. Eugent J. Schuengal, nee

Miss Myrtle Favre of this city, has

returned to her home in St. Louis, Missouri, after a visit to her father,

Victor E. Favre. Mrs. Schuengal

was accompanied to Bay St. Louis

by her brother-in-law and a party

of friends who were enroute to New

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs.

Samuel Patrick Murphy (nee Miss

Carol Stevenson) was baptized on

Sunday afternoon at the Church of

Our Lady of the Gulf, Rev. Father

On Sunday afternoon Mrs. William.

Prewitt, Jr., who reigned as queen

of the Carnival Ball on Friday even-

ing, entertained members of the

court and a large group of friends

at a reception in th sun parlor of

Throughout the parlor were flow-

ers carrying cut the Carnival Colors,

using yellow roses and gladiolii and

Mrs. Pewitt was receiving in a

gown of black crepe and lace and

wore jeweled necklace and earings,

the king's guft to her. She carried

white orchids arranged in the form

of a hand basket. Receviing with

her were her mother, Mrs. H. W.

Key, Sr., of New Orleans and Mr.

Prewitt's mother, Mrs. W. A. Pre-

witt, Sr., of Clifton, Texas. Approx-

inately 100 friends called during the

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I wish to thank everyone who by

word and deed expressed their sym-

pathy for me at the death of my be-

loved husband, Mr. James W. Burns

Especially do I appreciate and will

ever cherish the kindness shown me

by Revs. Harnett and Wiseman; Drs.

Wolfe and Floyd, nurses of King's

Daughters Hospital; Fahey Funeral

Home; Houston Light and Power Co.

and for the many beautiful floral of-

ferings and spiritual bouquets con-

Wife, Juliette Burns.

tributed by realtives and friends.

Bryan performing the ceremony.

QUEEN OF CARNIVAL

ENTERTAINS COURT

AND FRIENDS

Hotel Reed.

purple Iris.

sfternoon.

Orleans to attend the Carnival.

Bryan conducting the services.

The Stational Techno

City Echoes

-S. H. Register is again at his post of duty after a week's illness at his home here.

-Mrs. John McNiel, Bay St. Louis, is a medical patient at the Kings Daughters Hospital.

-Andrew Bennett, Pass Christian is a medical patient at the Kings Daughters Hospital.

-Mr. and Mrs Nelson Templeman of New Orleans, La., were week end guests of Mrs. Rosa Sigerson.

-Mrs. Edmund F. Fahey, Sr., left last week for Houston, Texas, to visit her sister, Mrs. George G. Funk. -Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Garcia, of Bay St. Louis, announce the birth of a son on February 28 at the Kings Daughters Hospital.

-Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kenmar of Bay St. Louis, announce the birth of a daughter at the Kings Daughters Hospital on February 26.

-Mr. and Mrs. Forest Ladner, of Lakeshore, announce the birth of a son on February 21, at the Kings Daughters Hospital.

now of Pensacola, Florida, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sterling B. Sharp at their home here. _Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Brignac had as their guests for the bail on

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Davidson of New Orleans. called to New Orleans on Tuesday because of the serious illness of Dr.

returned to their home in Eyota. Minnesota, after a visit here to Mrs. Lietz's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Genin.

Orleans, as guests of their grand- reuperating at her home here. some of the balls as spectators.

Carnival festivities..



Above picture shows the new drainage system installed at Saint Stanislaus by V. J. Piazza and Son and Miss Mary Catherine Sharp, W. Reinike. This sewer consists of 280 feet of 48-inch concrete pipe and laid in the comparative short time of 42 hours. This new sewer which is underground is in preparation for the new and modern kitchen planned by Saint Stanislaus for the future and also to enlarge and beautify the yard.

ters Hospital.

_Miss Lelia Collier who has been most spiritualistic the state has.

a patient in the Baptist Hospital in

viewed the parades and attended daughter Miss Virginia Seal and her her birthday. guest Miss Marie Louise Arnell of -Mrs. I. L. Williams and Mr. and wife Mrs. Leonie Blaize Monti, a nd Comus.

-Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Wilcox, -Mrs. David McDonald has been nee Miss Mary Carr, Clermont Har- in Hattiesburg with her father who bor, announce the birth of a son on underwent a major operation last Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Evans were February 21, at the Kings Daugh- Ihursday and his condition, though not alarming is serious.

-Mrs. O. B. Anderson and little -Rev. John T. Dearing left Mon- on Tuesday, March first, at Magee 33y for Columbus to attend the Evan- Sanitorium where he had been taken clistic Conference which was in that morning for treatment. of Mrs. John T. Dearing and son session March 1-4. The conference Mr. Monti had been ill for a year is for Pastors and is the greatest and at his nome here. His condition did not improve and at the advice of his

-Mr. and Mrs. Osmond Blaize and physician he was taken to Sanitorium New Orleans, following a major oper- daughter Patsy and Mrs. Blaize's but died the same afternoon. Patricia Gex and Lucien Gex, Jr., ation several weeks ago, has been grandmother, Mrs. Robert Perre spent He was a native of Bay St. Louis spent the Carnival Season in New dischargd foom the hospital and is Friday in New Orleans and witnessed and was the son of the late Mr. and the parade of Hermes. This was the Mrs. John Monti. For a number of mother, Mrs. W. W. Calhoun. They .__Mr. and Mrs. Leo Seal, their way in which Mrs. Perre celebrated years he was in business at Violet, Louisiana. He is survived by his

-Mr. and Mrs. John Damborine Chicago, Illinois, were registered at Mrs. W. M. Sutter of Birmingham, daughter, Joy Monti, a son Pedro, and daughter, Honorine and Tech. the St. Charles Hotel in New Or- Alabama, were Carnival guests here Jr., (Tony) Monti. His eldest son Sgt. and Mrs. Robert R. Sternecker ans for the Carnival season. Miss of Mrs. Sutter's brother-in-law and Donald was killed in action in World and son, Richard, motored to New Arnell is a senior classmate at Ste-sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shadoin. War II. He also leaves three sisters, Orleans on Saturday and again on hens College with Miss Seal. The They came to attend the Bay St. Mrs. Clothide Lang, Mrs. Marietta Tuesday, Mardi Gras Day to view the arty attended the balls of Proteus Louis Carnival Ball in which Mrs. Koerner and Mrs. Evelyn Favre all of Bay St. Louis and several nieces Shadoin was a maid.

M. J. Wolfe and family. Mrs. Eagen and daughter, Viola Jean of Milher home town, and her many friends waukee, Wisconsin, and Miss Lois always welcome her.

from Jacksonville, Florida, where tended hie Ball of Rex on Tuesday to visit parts of Alabama and Misshe attended the wedding of her night. nephew, Mr. Carlisie M. Jones who was married on February 19, to Miss Echo, who has been a patient at Hotel Colson and Margalo Damborino spent Betty Newsom.

_Mrs. J. W. Crawford, formerly of Bay St. Louis, now of Memphis, Tenn., was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Prewitt. Mrs. Crawford yet. attended the Carnival Ball at which Mrs. Prewitt was queen.

daughters Rita and Margaret and ing; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Helmke of family and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Glovtheir son Robert spent the Carnival New Orleans, Mrs. J. W. Crawford, er and family. Mr. Lang attended season in New Orleans as guests of of Memphis, Tenn., and Miss Evelyn the Boy Scout convention held at the Mrs. Mildred Marchessau. The par-Roser of New Orleans. Also with Buena Vista Hotel in Biloxi, being ty attended the balls of Proteus and them were Mrs. Prewitt's parents, an officer in scouting.

St. Louis from Durango, Iowa, and ton, Texas. istered at Hotel Reed.

_Mrs. Lydia Eagan of New Or- . _Dr. and Mrs. Harold M. Keefe, leans is visiting her daughter, Mrs. and their guests, Mr. Emil Horne accompanied by their guests Mr. Rosner, of Cecil, Wisconsin, enjoyed thius, Mr. and Mrs. Geisler left Wed--Mrs. H. S. Register has returned Mardi Gras in New Orleans and at- nesday for their home and planned

not be permitted by his physician ter, Patsy and son, J. D. in New Orto leave the hospital for some time leans.

-Mr. and Mrs. Roger Boh, their the Carnival ball on Friday even-a visit here to Mrs. R. N. Blaize and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Key of New Or-

are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Russell '_Mrs. Clemence Chadwick was rie Zellar, M. B. Mauras, Charles Elliott and their little daughter Pa- honoree at a delightful birthday cel- Thiery, and Ethel T. Traylor, of New tricia Elaine. While here, these gen- ebration on February 22nd. The Orleans, and his brother-in-law Mr. tlemen attended the S. J. A. Car- party of ten members of her family, Ralph S. Blaize, Jr., also of New nival Ball and spent several days started at the Blue Room of the Orleans. participating in the New Orleans Roosevelt Hotel, New Orleans. Later -Miss Vicky Gex entertained Carnival activities. Mr. Popenthien going to the home of Mr. and Mrs. with two tables of bridge on Friday served several years in the U.S. John Bryan where the cutting of of last week. Delicious refreshments Army Air Forc with Mr. Elliott. They the birthday cake and opening of were served during the hours of the were stationed at Gulfport Field for many gifts took place. Mrs. Chad- evening. Those ladies preesnt were some time. Since his discharge, Mr. wick later came to Bay St. Louis Mesdames Harry Glover, Sr., Aug-Popenthien visits Bay St. Louis an- where she had supper with her son ust Rauxet, Sr., Clemence Chadnually. He and Mr. Leslein are reg- and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. wick, N. M. Dick, R. N. Blaize, Ann Jaubert Fucich and their family.

-Mr. and Mrs. Osmond Blaize. and Mrs. Arthur O. Geisler of Corinth, motored to New Orleans last Tuesday to view the parade of Cyn-

A. G. Favre, publisher of the __Misses Mary Lou Scafidi, Betty Dieu, New Orleans, for the past two the Carnival week end at the home weeks, is improving rapidly, but will of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Abadie, daugh-

_Mrs. Bernard Lang, nee Miss -Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Prewitt, Jr., Myrtle Mader, has returned to her had as their guests here to attend home in Lafayette, Louisiana, after

-Among those from out of town -Mr. Edwin F. Popenthien and leans and Mr. Prewitt's parents Mr. here to attend the funeral of Peter Mr. Merrill Leslein motored to Bay and Mrs. W. A. Prewitt, Sr., of Clif- (Pedro) Monti, on Thursday were his aunts, Mesdames Jos. Lonegane, Ma-

Gaston and L. S. Elliott.

FAME OF NATCHEZ IS RESULT IDEA DEVELOPED IN 1932

An idea which seemed an impractical dream back in 1932 has in 16 years made Natchez the South's most famous pilgrimage city, an attraction which draws thousands of visitors each Spring to view the greatest collection of ante-bellum mansions and priceless old heirlooms in all the South-

Last year 30,000 visitors from all over the nation came to Natchez in March to view more than 30 of the city's most magnificent homes and gardens. This year requests for information on the pilgrimage are coning it at the rate of about 500 per day. This year's pilgrimage - March 5-April 3will undoubtedly attract the larg-

est crowds in history. Thirty-one of the city's loveliest homes will be thrown open during the month-long pilgrimage. During this period ladies of the garden clubs will wear hoopskirts and guide pilgrims from all over the nation through beautiful azalea gardens into homes which saw the history of the Southwest in the making, Confederate balls, tableaux depicting life during the 1850's, and old-fashioned negro spiritual singing are all part of the spectacular. charming program.

FROM OBSCURITY The idea which extricated Natchez from obscurity following the War Between The States was conceived by Mrs. Balfour Miller, a descendant of one of the oldest families, and ladies of the garden club. Many Natchez businessmen considered the idea impractical, but after the first tour they admitted their error in judgment by presenting Mrs. Miller with a lov-

The pilgrimages today are big business for Natchez, which also has enjoyed an amazing industrial growth during the past 10 years. Natchez of the beautiful homes can indirectly attribute its conception to Ely Whitney, inventor of the cotton gin. which revolutionized the economy of the South. For cotton brought new wealth to the South of pre-Civil War days, and Natchez became the greatest

cotton market in the world. In the lush years from around 1812 to the Civil War millionaire planters built their town mansions on the Natchez bluffs, high above the muddy waters of the Mississippi River. By 1850 the city boasted 11 of the 75 millionaires in the United States. Life in Natchez was gay and planters lavished money on elaborate homes.

TYPICAL OF HOMES Typical of these was Stanton Hall, which today is owned by the Pilgrimage Garden Club.

The builder, an Irishman, chart ered an entire ship back in 1850 to bring materials and furnishings from France for Stanton Hall, which he named Belfast, after his native city. The palatial two-story structure, which cost the builder more than half-a-million dollars. included great marble fireplaces, ceiling-high mirrors, massive bronze chandeliers filled with figures of Indians on horseback and French soldiers which mark some of the city's history.

A hand-wrought iron fence which encloses the grounds cost the Irish builder \$12,000. under construction when the Civil grounds. War broke out and workers were forced to drop their tools and go off to fight.

bulbous dome. The uncompleted features: Twin Oaks, built in 1814 history. skeleton of the home stands today on a Spanish land grant and ocas northern artisans left it when they answered the call to war.

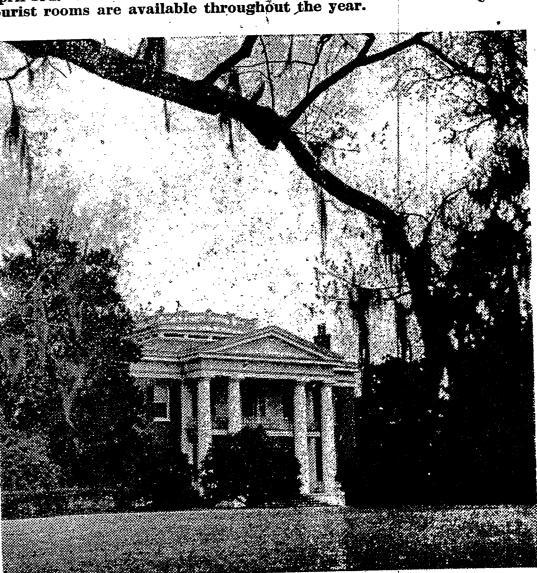
on a spanish troops during prior to 1812, contains a set of the call to war. ed Natchez by, however, and few gent built prior to 1803.

hands of Union troops. physical change, but the slaves The Parsonage, built in 1840 by by old masters. were gone, the fields neglected and Peter B. Little for his devout wife the riches they represented ex- for housing of visiting Methodist Natchez became a forgotten

city—until 1932. still clung to many of the homes. the home of the Spanish governor; Others had slipped into alien but Monmouth, built in 1818, and once friendly hands. Many of them were the home of General John A. Quitbadly run down and their owners man of Mexican War fame. sought desperately for ways and Monteigne, built in 1855 by means of maintaining them.



Miss Anna Rose Metcalfe, lovely queen of the 1948 pilgrimage, portrays the hospitable welcome which visitors receive during the home and garden tours to be held this year from March 5th through April 3rd. Here she welcomes visitors to palatial Stanton Hall, where tourist rooms are available throughout the year.



Melrose, built in 1845, is a perfect example of the stately mansions of the Old South for which Natchez is famous. This beautiful home recently inspired a new silver pattern.

preservation of their houses and Many of these fine homes were the beautification of their HOMES ON TOUR

year's pilgrimage include:

ministers.

Dunleith; Hone Farm, home of the originator of the Pilgrimages, Descendants of original families built between 1774-1789 and once

Confederate General William T. It was then that the ladies of Martin; Airlie, built prior to 1790, Gardens, 1790s, noted for swing-atchez came to the rescue. Through their Garden Club they launched the Natchez Pilgrimages a hospital during war; The Burn, 1832, also during war; Melrose, a hospital during war; Melros

typical plantation house; The Briers, 1812, birthplace of Varina Homes to be open during this Howell, who wedded Jefferson Davis here in 1854; Glenfield, The Elms, built in 1872 during prior to 1812; Richmond, 1784wood, a ghostlike octagonal structure the Spanish era and containing 1860, is three houses joined, repture of Moorish design with a huge many interesting architectural resenting three periods of Natchez Ravenna, 1836; Green Leaves,

Elgin Plantation, built prior to

1812 on Spanish land grant, is

The worst of the Civil War pass- cester, first home of Winthrop Sar- different design of bird or flower on each piece; Arlington, 1816, of the mansions suffered at the king's Tavern, oldest house in one of most distinguished houses of Union troops.

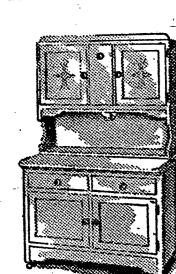
King's Tavern, oldest house in one of most distinguished houses on Mississippi and the first tavern on on Mississippi River with veritable Returning soldiers found little the Natchez Trace; Stanton Hall; museum of antiques and paintings

Linden, built prior to 1790, beautiful plantation home; Connelly's Tavern on Ellicott's Hill, where Aaron Burr and Blennerhasset held secret conclaves in 1807 and hangout for many travel-

ers along Natchez Trace. Bontura, typical Creole type home, overlooks broad sweep of Mississippi River; Rosalie, 1820; once General Grant's headquarters; Cherokee, 1794; Cottage

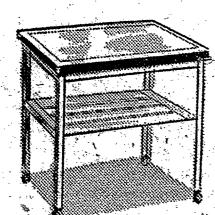


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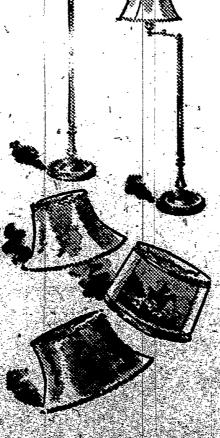
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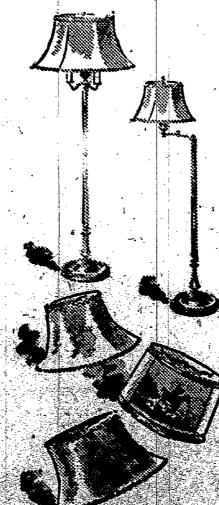
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